

Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the paragraph at p. 7, ll. 9 – 14 as follows.

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AI Referring to the drawings in more detail, the reference numeral 2 generally designates a foreign currency exchange (FX) and merchandise sales system (Fig. 1). The system 2 generally includes a service cart 4 with a locking security drawer 4a (Fig. 1A) for receiving currency 6 and merchandise 8. The security drawer 4a is the subject of copending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/652,086, which is assigned to a common assignee herewith and is incorporated herein by reference.

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